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PART V.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 50th Saturday in 1927 (10th December 1927).

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday								Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1927							
						This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			
	1	2		3		4		5		6		7	
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		
BANGALORE	Bangalore City & Taluk	0	00	0	06	27	24	32	23	—4	99		
	Hoskote ...	0	00	0	08	27	06	31	67	—4	61		
	Dodballapur ...	0	00	0	18	28	61	34	18	—5	57		
	Nelamangala ...	0	00	0	08	21	48	30	99	—9	51		
	Kankanhalli ..	0	00	0	11	26	75	34	82	—8	07		
	Magadi ...	0	00	0	12	39	52	33	76	+5	76		
	Channapatna ...	0	00	0	18	23	44	35	54	—12	10		
	Anekal ..	0	00	0	10	29	25	32	20	—2	95		
	Devanhalli ..	0	00	0	11	21	54	30	60	—9	06		
	Closepet ...	0	00	0	12	23	08	36	92	—13	84		
	District average ...	0	00	0	11	26	79	33	28	—6	49		
KOLAR	Kolar ...	0	00	0	14	19	86	26	82	—6	96		
	Bowringpet ..	0	00	0	11	21	20	25	56	—4	36		
	Chintamani ..	0	00	0	22	32	85	25	41	+7	44		
	Mulbagal ...	0	00	0	18	29	89	27	89	+2	00		
	Sidlaghatta ...	0	00	0	20	28	41	32	47	—4	06		
	Chikballapur ...	0	00	0	17	32	91	28	20	+4	71		
	Bagepalli	0	00	0	11	17	34	25	30	—8	54		
	Goribidnur ...	0	00	0	15	24	76	24	25	+0	51		
	Malur ...	0	00	0	17	27	68	27	03	+0	65		
	Srinivaspur ..	0	00	0	12	24	12	26	73	—2	61		
	Gudibanda ...	0	00	0	11	29	18	24	45	+4	73		
	District average ...	0	00	0	16	26	20	26	78	—0	58		
TUMKUR	Tumkur ...	0	00	0	10	25	65	26	99	—1	34		
	Maddagiri ...	0	00	0	17	29	86	24	65	+5	21		
	Chiknayakanhalli ..	0	00	0	18	22	84	27	26	—4	42		
	Sira ...	0	00	0	14	12	75	20	04	—7	29		
	Gubbi ...	0	00	0	22	23	02	23	58	—0	56		
	Tiptur ...	0	00	0	31	21	58	22	25	—0	67		
	Pavagada ..	0	00	0	14	14	79	19	74	—4	95		
	Kunigal ..	0	00	0	15	22	79	27	83	—5	04		
	Koratagere ..	0	00	0	12	21	71	25	46	—3	75		
	Turuvekere ...	0	00	0	22	17	93	26	78	—8	85		
	District average ...	0	00	0	17	21	27	24	43	—3	16		

	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	4'50	4'50	6'50
Ragi	9'00	9'00	9'50
Kulthi	5'00	5'00	6'00
Kadale	5'00	5'00	6'00
Rice, 2nd sort.	4'80	4'8	5'0
Ragi	10'0	10'0	9'0
Kulthi	5'4	5'4	8'0
Kadale	5'0	5'0	5'0
Rice, 2nd sort.	4'50	4'50	4'50
Ragi	9'50	9'50	9'45
Kulthi	6'00	6'00	7'30
Kadale	5'00	5'00	4'90

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday								Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1927							
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 6			
1	2		3		4		5		6		7	
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		
MYSORE												
Mysore ...	0	00	0	17	21	52	24	37	—2	85		
Chamrajnagar ..	0	00	0	20	25	12	22	11	+3	01		
Seringapatam ..	0	00	0	17	16	77	24	15	—7	38		
Hunsur ..	0	00	0	23	18	04	27	02	—5	98		
Yedatore ..	0	00	0	20	15	03	24	77	—9	74	Rice, 2nd sort.	
Heggaddevankote ..	0	00	0	45	23	78	33	99	—10	21	Ragi	
Gundlupet ...	0	00	0	30	22	88	25	96	—2	98	Kulthi	
Nanjangud ..	0	00	0	16	19	74	25	79	—6	05		
T.-Narsipur ...	0	00	0	11	24	48	24	96	—0	48	Kadale	
Malvalli ..	0	00	0	21	14	85	22	37	—7	52		
Mandya ..	0	00	0	18	17	02	24	21	—7	19		
Krishnarajpete ...	0	00	0	20	19	57	27	31	—7	74		
Nagamangala ..	0	00	0	18	15	27	25	48	—10	21		
District average ..	0	00	0	21	19	62	25	57	—5	95		
HASSAN												
Hassan ...	0	00	0	33	25	06	30	35	—5	29		
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	0	00	0	34	30	49	28	41	2	08	Rice, 2nd sort.	
Arkalgud ...	0	00	0	52	30	35	42	29	—11	94	Ragi	
Belur ..	0	00	0	29	32	66	39	38	—6	72		
Channarayapatna ...	0	00	0	19	22	11	27	27	—4	96	Kulthi	
Arsikere ...	0	00	0	34	19	51	25	24	—5	73		
Hole-Narsipur ...	0	00	0	32	24	78	26	67	—1	89	Kadale	
Alur ..	0	00	0	26	38	29	39	08	—0	79		
District average ...	0	00	0	32	35	41	39	81	—4	40		
SHIMOGA												
Shimoga ...	0	00	0	30	24	39	30	30	—5	91		
Channagiri ...	0	00	0	16	30	21	26	95	3	26		
Honnali ...	0	00	0	18	18	06	22	09	—4	03	Rice, 2nd sort.	
Shikarpur ..	0	00	0	23	25	94	31	46	—5	52		
Sorab ...	0	00	0	94	50	32	55	18	—4	86	Ragi	
Sagar ...	0	00	0	19	70	67	83	63	—12	96		
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	0	00	0	09	85	02	103	70	—18	68	Kulthi	
Tirthahalli ...	0	00	0	34	109	63	119	80	—10	17		
Kumsi ...	0	00	0	12	35	86	39	72	—3	86		
District average	0	00	0	28	50	01	56	98	—6	97		
KADUR												
Chikmagalur ...	0	00	0	32	29	59	33	66	—4	07		
Kadur ...	0	00	0	15	19	52	21	90	—2	38	Rice, 2nd sort.	
Tarikere ...	0	00	0	20	36	46	34	80	+1	66		
Koppa ..	0	00	0	26	115	59	113	75	+1	84	Ragi	
Mudgere ...	0	00	0	18	96	17	93	35	+2	82	Kulthi	
Narasimharajapura ...	0	00	0	09	80	20	75	63	+4	57	Kadale	
Sringeri ...	0	00	0	41	149	34	152	38	—3	04		
District average ..	0	00	0	23	75	27	75	06	+0	21		
CHITALDRUG												
Chitaldrug	0	00	0	27	14	83	21	46	—6	63		
Challakere ...	0	00	0	29	13	37	15	31	—1	94	Rice, 2nd sort.	
Hiriyur ...	0	00	0	23	16	97	20	05	—4	08		
Holalkere ...	0	00	0	09	22	13	22	30	—0	17	Ragi	
Davangere	0	00	0	32	20	42	23	07	—2	65	Kulthi	
Molakalmuru ..	0	00	0	20	23	70	18	56	5	14	Cholum	
Jagalur ...	0	00	0	16	15	44	20	53	—5	09	Kadale	
Hosdurga ..	0	00	0	19	19	12	19	48	—0	36		
Harihar ...	0	00	0	21	14	52	19	81	—5	29		
District average ..	0	00	0	22	17	83	20	06	—2	23		
Provincial average ..	0	00	0	21	34	05	32	24	+3	69		

	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	4·50	4·50
Ragi	8·50	8·50	9·00
Kulthi	5·00	5·00	6·00
Kadale	5·00	5·00	5·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	4·50	5·00
Ragi	9·00	9·00	10·00
Kulthi	5·00	5·00	5·00
Kadale	4·00	4·50	5·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	4·75	5·00	5·09
Ragi	10·00	10·00	9·85
Kulthi	4·50	4·00	6·98
Rice, 2nd sort.	5·5	5·45	5·50
Ragi	9·11	9·11	9·75
Kulthi	5·5	5·5	7·50
Kadale	5·45	5·45	5·50
Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	4·50	4·60
Ragi	10·00	10·00	10·00
Kulthi	4·00	4·00	3·00
Cholum	10·00	10·00	12·00
Kadale	3·00	3·00	4·00

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Eleusine Coracana
Kulthi—Horse gram Dolichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Kadale—(Bengal gram) Cicer Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of peoples under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—It is reported that raiyats are ploughing their fields in some parts of Dodballapur Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, paddy, avare, togari and horse gram. They are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Ragi is being harvested all over the District. It is reported that paddy is being harvested in some parts of Anekal Taluk and ground-nuts in some parts of Dodballapur Taluk.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. It is reported that cattle are healthy except for the prevalence of "Chappe roga" in some parts of Channapatna and Anekal Taluks and "Doddaroga" in some parts of Kankanhalli Taluk.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Ragi, groundnut and same are being harvested in almost all the parts of the District. Karthika paddy is being harvested in some parts of the District.

Standing crops.—Paddy, avare, togari, horse gram and sugar-cane are reported to be in good condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Prices of food grains: stationary.

Labour.—Available for the cooly classes.

11. *Cattle.*—Healthy. Pasture, fodder and drinking water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

9. *Crops harvested.*—Ragi in all parts of the District, yields 4 to 8 annas. Ground-nuts in parts of Tumkur and Gubbi Taluks, yield 4 to 8 annas. Paddy and jola in parts of Tumkur and Kunigal Taluks, yield 6 to 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Avare, togari, horse gram, paddy and sugar-cane are reported to be in good condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.

11. Water and fodder are reported to be available at present.

Cattle are reported to be healthy all over the District.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Jola, ragi, paddy, horse gram, sugar-cane, mulberry, til, castor, togari, avare, samé, navane, chillies groundnut, black and green grams are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of Seringapatam, Chamrajnagar, T.-Narsipur and Krishnarajpete, and ragi in parts of Gundlupet and Seringapatam Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

It is reported that rain is wanted for the standing crops in parts of Chamrajnagar, Hunsur, Heggaddevankote, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur and Krishnarajpete Taluks and that want of rain is very keenly felt in parts of Yedatore, Malvalli, Mandya and Nagamangala Taluks.

11. (1) Water and fodder are available.

(2) Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Paddy and togari in the Hassan and Channarayapatna Taluks; sugar-cane, avare, chillies and kulthi in the Hassan, Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks; garlic, onion, menthya and til in the Hassan Taluk and castor in the Belur Taluk are reported to be generally in good condition. It is reported that Standing crops in the Hassan, Channarayapatna, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks are in need of early rains.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in the Hassan, Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur, Channarayapatna and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; sugar-cane in the Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks; ragi and cotton in the Arsikere Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy; water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Ploughing operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in the taluks of Channagiri and Honnali.

Seeds sown.—Bengal gram in the Channagiri and Honnali Taluks and wheat in the Honnali Taluk are being sown.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane and paddy in all the taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; ragi, jola, avare, togari, cotton and horse gram in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri and Honnali are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in all the taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; ragi, jola in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali and Shikarpur are being harvested.

10. The prospects of season are reported to be good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar-cane in all the taluks and sub-taluks of the District; jolam, til, ragi, avare, cotton, groundnut, coriander and horse gram in Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks; arecanut, coffee and cardamom in Chikmagalur, Tarikere, Koppa and Mudgere Taluks; arecanut in Kadur Taluk and also in Narasimharajapura and Sringeri Sub-Taluks are reported to be thriving well.

Crops harvested.—Coffee, paddy and cardamom in Chikmagalur, Tarikere, Koppa and Mudgere Taluk arecanut in Chikmagalur, Kadur, Tarikere and Koppa Taluks and also in Narasimharajapura and Sringeri Sub-Taluks; ragi, coriander and jolam in Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food grains are available, but their prices are steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the District, but it is reported that Rinderpest is prevailing in Dandur and Cheeranahalli villages, Tarikere Taluk, and foot and mouth disease in Halamathur and Chavalmane villages, Koppa Taluk.

Water and fodder for cattle are available in all the taluks and sub-taluks of the District.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Sowing and harvesting operations are in progress.

Standing crops. Viz., Bilijola, navane, kadle, togari, avare, paddy, castor, cotton, baraka, horse gram, sajje, wheat, tobacco, sugar-cane, groundnut, til and chillies. They are reported to be generally in a fair condition, except in the Hiriyur Taluk where it is reported that they are withering for want of rain.

Seeds sown.—Challakere Taluk—Paddy, wheat and kadle; Hiriyur Taluk—Paddy. Holalkere Taluk—Kadle. Molakalmuru Taluk—Paddy and wheat. Jagalur Taluk—Bilijola and kadle.

Crops harvested.—Chitaldrug Taluk—Ragi, jola and sajje, 8 annas; Challakere Taluk—Paddy 6 annas; Hiriyur Taluk—Sajje and navane, 4 annas; Ragi, 8 to 12 annas; and, groundnut, 8 annas; Holalkere Taluk—Navane, 8 annas; Davangere Taluk—Jola, ragi, navane green gram and save, 10 annas; Molakalmuru Taluk—Groundnut, 8 annas; Jagalur Taluk—Jola, ragi and navane, 6 annas; Harihar Sub-Taluk—Jola, ragi, navane, till and chillies, 6 to 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food stuffs continue to be stationary. Cooly classes generally find labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy in the District. Water and fodder are available.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, 13th December 1927.

P. G. D'SOUZA,
Revenue Commissioner.

Statement showing the prices current (retail) of rice (2nd sort), ragi and horse gram at the several taluk headquarters for the week ending Saturday the 10th December 1927.

Districts	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas					
		Rice, 2nd sort		Ragi		Horse gram	
		Srs.	ch.	Srs.	ch.	Srs.	ch.
Bangalore	Bangalore	4	8	9	0	5	0
	Hoskote	4	8	9	0	5	0
	Doddaballapur	4	12	10	0	5	0
	Nelamangala	4	4	10	0	5	8
	Kankanhalli	4	4	8	8	5	8
	Magadi	4	8	10	0	7	0
	Channapatna	4	4	7	8	4	8
	Anekal	4	0	10	0	5	0
	Devanhalli	4	8	9	0	5	0
	Closepet	4	8	9	0	6	0
Kolar	Kolar						
	Bowringpet						
	Chintamani						
	Mulbagal						
	Sidlaghatta						
	Chikballapur						
	Bagepalli						
	Goribidnur						
	Malur						
	Srinivaspur						
	Gudibanda						
Tumkur	Tumkur	4	8	9	8	6	0
	Maddagiri	4	8	10	0	6	0
	Chiknayakanhalli	4	8	9	0	6	0
	Sira	4	0	7	8	4	8
	Gubbi	4	8	9	0	5	0
	Tiptur	5	0	10	0	5	0
	Pavagada	4	8	10	0	5	8
	Kunigal	4	8	9	0	6	0
	Koratagere	4	0	9	0	5	0
	Turuvekere	4	8	9	0	5	0
Mysore	Mysore	4	8	8	8	5	0
	Chamrajnagar	4	8	8	0	5	0
	Seringapatam	4	8	8	0	5	0
	Hunsur	4	12	9	0	5	0
	Yedatore	5	0	9	8	5	0
	Heggaddevankote	4	8	10	0	5	8
	Gundlupet	4	8	9	0	5	0

Not received

Districts	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas					
		Rice, 2nd sort		Ragi		Horse gram	
		Srs.	ch.	Srs.	ch.	Srs.	ch.
Mysore—concld.	Nanjangud	4	8	10	0	5	0
	T.-Narsipur	5	0	8	0	5	0
	Malvalli	4	0	8	0	5	0
	Mandya	4	8	7	0	4	8
	Krishnarajpete	4	4	7	8	5	0
	Nagamangala	4	8	8	8	5	0
Hassan	Hassan	4	8	9	0	4	0
	Manjarabad (Sakleshpur)	4	8	8	0	4	8
	Arkalgud	6	0	10	0	4	8
	Belur	4	12	9	8	4	0
	Channarayapatna	5	0	9	0	4	0
Shimoga	Arsikere	5	0	10	0	5	0
	Hole-Narsipur	4	8	8	0	4	0
	Alur	4	12	8	0	5	0
	Shimoga	4	12	10	0	4	8
	Channagiri	4	8	10	0	4	8
	Honnali	4	12	12	0	4	0
	Shikarpur	4	8	10	8	5	0
	Sorab	5	0	14	0	4	0
	Sagar	4	0	8	0	5	0
	Nagar (Kallurkatte)	5	8	8	0	5	8
	Tirthahalli	4	8	9	0	5	0
Kadur	Kumsi	4	8	9	0	4	8
	Chikmagalur	5	0	9	0	5	0
	Kadur	4	8	10	0	4	8
	Tarikere	5	0	11	0	5	0
	Koppa	5	0	8	0	4	8
	Mudgere	4	8	9	0	5	0
	Narasimharajapura	5	4	9	0	5	8
	Sringeri	4	8	8	0	4	8
Chitaldrug	Chitaldrug		8	10	0	4	0
	Challakere	5	0	10	0	6	0
	Hiriyur	4	4	9	0	5	0
	Holalkere	4	8	12	0	6	0
	Davangere	4	12	11	8	6	4
	Molakalmuru	6	0	10	0	6	0
	Jagalur	4	0	10	0	5	8
	Hosdurga		Not	received			
	Harihar	4	0	9	8	5	0

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, 13th December 1927.

P. G. D'SOUZA,
Revenue Commissioner.